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O BULANS-OPERATION ALERT 1957.. REMYLET TO BUREAU JUNE 21, 1957 AND SEC LETTER 57-37. INASMUCH AS CW RADIO CONTACT TO BE MAINTAINED WITH SOG. FROM ACTUAL RELOCATION SITE ON JULY 12-13, 1957. THE FOLLOWING DUTY SCHEDULE WILL BE MAINTAINED AT RELOCATION SITE UACB. SA [REDACTED] RTO [REDACTED] 11:00 AM- 7:00 PM JULY 12, 1957. SA WILLIAM V. CURRAN-SA JAMES R. GRIMES 7:01 PM-JULY 12, 1957-3:00 AM JULY 13, 1957. SA [REDACTED] [REDACTED]-CTO [REDACTED] 3:01 AM-11:30 AM JULY 13, 1957. SA WILLIAM V. CURRAN-SA JAMES R. GRIMES 11:31 AM- 8:00 PM JULY 13, 1957. AS SET FORTH IN REFERENCED SJ LETTER, SA'S [REDACTED] AND CURRAN ARE MEMBERS OF THE CHAIN OF COMMAND AND SA CURRAN IS A BUREAU TRAINED CW RADIO OPERATOR. RTO [REDACTED] [REDACTED] AND RCO [REDACTED] WILL MAN THE RADIO STATION IN SJ 24 HOUR BASIS DURING JULY 12 AND 13.

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cc: Mr. Minnick

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• UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

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FROM : SAC, PHILADELPHIA (66-5423)

SUBJECT: OPERATION ALERT, 1957

Transmitted herewith is Pennsylvania State Council of Civil Defense Information Circular Number 80, dated June 3, 1957, which outlines the procedures contemplated by the State Civil Defense Director's Office in connection with the captioned alert.

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STATE COUNCIL OF CIVIL DEFENSE
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HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA

June 3, 1957

INFORMATION CIRCULAR NO. 80

PUBLIC RELEASE DATE: - THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1957

STATEWIDE CIVIL DEFENSE TEST - JULY 1957

PART I - GENERAL INFORMATION

1. A national civil defense test, called "Operation Alert 1957", will be held during the period July 8 through 19, 1957. States, Territories, Possessions and the District of Columbia will participate.

2. The State Council of Civil Defense and all county and local civil defense organizations in Pennsylvania will participate in the July test, in the manner hereinafter prescribed, under authority provided in Section 4 of the State Council of Civil Defense Act of 1951, P.L. 28, as amended. The primary purposes of test activities carried out within the Commonwealth shall be:

- (a) To provide the general public with further opportunity to become familiar with the standard public action signals;
- (b) To further test the over-all effectiveness of State, county and local attack warning devices and systems;
- (c) To provide further opportunity for members of the general public to practice basic self-protection measures;
- (d) To further test State, county and local plans for emergency mobilization and operations; and
- (e) To provide further experience in the solution of problems likely to be faced under attack conditions.

The test also will serve to stimulate public interest and participation in the statewide civil defense program.

PART II - OUTLINE OF TEST PROGRAM

3. The principal features of the July 1957 test as carried out in Pennsylvania will be as outlined below:

- (a) A public action signal familiarization program will be carried out on Monday and Tuesday evenings, July 8 and 9;
- (b) A statewide public participation drill will be held at an unannounced time on Friday, July 12;

- (c) A statewide control center communications drill, sometimes called a "command post exercise" or CPX, will be carried on from late morning until midnight on Friday, July 12;
- (d) Inter-county and local operational tests will be held as locally desired on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, July 12, 13 and 14.

Details of the above listed features are presented in Parts III, IV, V and VI, below.

PART III - PUBLIC ACTION SIGNAL FAMILIARIZATION PROGRAM

4. Information available to the State Council of Civil Defense indicates that few members of the general public readily can identify and know the meaning of the two standard public action signals (i.e. the "Alert" and "Take Cover" signals), as sounded on local sirens, horns and whistles.

5. In order to provide the public with further opportunity to "get to know" the two public action signals, therefore, a public action signal familiarization program will be held on Monday and Tuesday, July 8 and 9, 1957. The essential details of this program are listed immediately below.

- (a) Beginning precisely at 7:15 P.M., E.D.T., on Monday evening, July 8, and AGAIN on Tuesday evening, July 9, all county and local civil defense organizations will publicly sound the long, steady "Alert", or "Attention", signal on local sirens, horns or whistles.
- (b) Beginning precisely at 7:30 P.M., E.D.T., on Monday evening, July 8, and AGAIN on Tuesday evening, July 9, all county and local civil defense organizations will publicly sound the three-minute, pulsating "Take Cover" signal on local sirens, horns or whistles.
- (c) Well in advance of and immediately prior to public sounding of the two prescribed public action signals on the evenings of July 8 and 9, all County and Local Civil Defense Directors will be expected most extensively to publicize the exact times and dates of the soundings and most strongly to urge everyone to take that opportunity both to learn readily to distinguish one signal from the other and to learn the exact meaning of each.
- (d) During public sounding of the two prescribed signals on July 8 and 9, the public at large will be expected ONLY to listen to and "get to know" each of the two signals.

6. In publicizing the public action signal familiarization program, all County and Local Civil Defense Directors will be expected strongly to emphasize the fact that THE ONLY ACTION REQUIRED IN CONNECTION WITH PUBLIC SOUNDING OF THE OFFICIAL "ALERT" AND "TAKE COVER" SIGNALS ON MONDAY AND TUESDAY EVENINGS, JULY 8 AND 9, 1957, WILL BE FOR EVERYONE TO LISTEN FOR AND "GET TO KNOW" THE TWO PUBLIC ACTION SIGNALS. No other civil defense or public action shall locally be made a part of this particular feature of the July test.

7. In the preparation and release of publicity relating to the public action signal familiarization program, County and Local Civil Defense Directors are cautioned to make certain that the "Alert" and "Take Cover" signals are accurately described and their meanings correctly listed. As a matter of convenience, this information is summarized immediately below.

- (a) The official "Alert", or "Attention", signal is a long, steady, non-fluctuating siren, horn or whistle blast lasting from three (3) to five (5) minutes in all.
- (b) The official meaning of the "Alert", or "Attention", signal is "Listen for emergency information or instructions!" These instructions will be publicly disseminated by radio broadcast, by television (unless off the air under Conelrad), by public address systems and by other means locally prescribed.
- (c) The official "Take Cover" signal is a three-minute long, pulsating, or "warbling", siren tone; a three-minute long series of short blasts on horns or whistles; or a combination of the two.
- (d) The official meaning of the "Take Cover" signal is "Take cover immediately!"

For detailed information concerning emergency sounding of public action signals and conditions of warning, County and Local Civil Defense Directors should refer to Information Circulars Nos. 71 and 79, dated May 4, 1956 and June 1, 1957, respectively.

PART IV - STATEWIDE PUBLIC PARTICIPATION DRILL

8. The National Association of State and Territorial Civil Defense Directors has received no official acknowledgment of its April 1957 suggestion, made to the Federal Civil Defense Administration, that a simultaneous, nationwide public participation drill be held on Friday, July 12, 1957. Unofficially, however, the Association's Alert Committee has been given to understand that no nationwide public participation drill will be scheduled in connection with Operation Alert 1957.

9. In view of the facts stated in Paragraph 6, immediately above, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania will join with the States of New Jersey and New York in simultaneous conduct of a statewide public participation drill to be held on Friday, July 12, 1957. (According to current information, other states surrounding Pennsylvania, including Delaware, Ohio, Maryland and West Virginia, will hold not statewide public participation drill in connection with the July test.)

10. Essential facts concerning the statewide public participation drill to be held in Pennsylvania on July 12, 1957 are outlined immediately below.

- (a) The primary purpose of the drill will be to provide members of the general public further opportunity actually to practice basic self-protection measures, namely, to listen for and appropriately react to public sounding of standard public action signals.
- (b) The drill will be held during daylight hours, but its exact time will not be announced in advance of the time it actually takes place.
- (c) The "timing" of the drill will be governed by official State Council of Civil Defense declaration of warning Conditions Yellow, Blue, Red and White, as prescribed in Information Circular No. 79, dated June 1, 1957.
- (d) Immediately upon official declaration of Condition Yellow, which will be marked by transmission of a standard Yellow warning condition signal over the bell-and-lights system and which will take place late in the morning, all county

and local civil defense organizations instantly shall inaugurate public sounding of the long, steady "Alert", or "Attention", signal on local sirens, horns or whistles. (If not previously activated, all control centers shall be fully activated upon declaration of Condition Yellow, in order to carry out the control center communications drill prescribed in Part V, below.)

(e) Public sounding of that "Alert", or "Attention", signal prescribed in Subparagraph (d), immediately above, shall be accompanied by the widest possible public dissemination of an emergency message worded essentially as follows: "Attention, everyone! A simulated air raid warning has been received. This warning marks the start of today's statewide civil defense test. For test purposes, hostile aircraft are now assumed to be more than two hours distant from the City of (name of city)." This message may be disseminated by radio or television broadcast, by public address systems and by other means locally prescribed. EXCEPT FOR THE FACT THAT EVERYONE WILL BE EXPECTED TO LISTEN FOR THE EMERGENCY MESSAGE PRESCRIBED IMMEDIATELY ABOVE, NO PUBLIC ACTION SHALL BE REQUIRED UPON DECLARATION OF CONDITION YELLOW.

(f) Following declaration of Condition Blue, which will be marked by transmission of a standard Blue warning condition signal over the bell-and-lights system, county and local civil defense organizations will be expected to mobilize those forces required for action during Condition Red (see Subparagraphs (g) and (h), below). During Condition Blue, no public action signals shall be publicly sounded on local sirens, horns or whistles and no public action shall be required.

Special Note: To further test their ability publicly to disseminate emergency messages, county and local civil defense organizations may broadcast public test messages during Condition Blue, provided such messages are not accompanied or preceded, by public sounding of any public action signal (see Paragraph 13 of Information Circular No. 71, dated May 4, 1956). An example of this type of message might be, "Attention, everyone! According to the plan for today's statewide civil defense test, hostile aircraft are now assumed to be from one to two hours — repeat, from one to two hours — distant from the City of (name of city)."

(g) Immediately upon official declaration of Condition Red, which will be marked by transmission of a standard Red warning condition signal over the bell-and-lights system, all county and local civil defense organizations instantly shall inaugurate public sounding of the three-minute, pulsating "Take Cover" signal on local sirens, horns or whistles. Sounding of the "Take Cover" signal may, or may not, be accompanied by local broadcast of an appropriate emergency message, as desired. Where such a message is broadcast, it should be worded essentially as follows: "Attention, everyone! The 'Take Cover' signal has sounded. All take cover immediately!"

(h) Immediately upon public sounding of the "Take Cover" signal on local sirens, horns or whistles, members of the general public will be expected immediately to "take cover". Civil defense and police forces will be expected to bring highway traffic to a halt and to direct people on sidewalks to seek refuge indoors. Trains, aircraft and other scheduled commercial carriers, as well as emergency vehicles, may continue operations. Other details of this particular phase of the drill will be the same as in previous statewide public participation drills.

- (i) Immediately upon official declaration of Condition White, which will be marked by transmission of a standard White warning condition signal over the bell-and-lights system, all county and local civil defense organizations instantly shall inaugurate public sounding of a long, steady "alert", or "Attention", signal on local sirens, horns or whistles. (This will be the day's second sounding of the official "Alert", or "Attention", signal.)
- (j) Public sounding of that "Alert", or "Attention", signal prescribed in Subparagraph (i), immediately above, shall be accompanied by the widest possible public dissemination of another emergency message worded essentially as follows: "Attention, everyone! A simulated civil defense 'all clear' has been received. The air is now assumed to be clear of hostile aircraft. Traffic may now resume movement and all people their normal pursuits. This 'all clear' marks the end of today's public participation drill."
- (k) Upon public sounding of the second "Alert", or "Attention", signal and public dissemination of the accompanying emergency message required (Subparagraphs (i) and (j), above) traffic may resume movement and people their normal pursuits. This will mark the end of the public participation drill. (The control center communications drill will, of course, continue until midnight.)

11. To facilitate conduct of the public participation drill, which necessarily must be carried out within a limited time, County and Local Civil Defense Directors may wish, prior to start of the drill, to provide local radio and television stations with emergency messages of the types prescribed in Subparagraphs 10 (e), (g) and (j), above. This is permissible, provided that all stations concerned clearly understand that each of the three (3) messages shall be broadcast at a specific time, namely, simultaneous with or immediately following the first "Alert" signal (to be publicly sounded upon declaration of Condition Yellow), the "Take Cover" signal (to be publicly sounded upon declaration of Condition Red), and the second "Alert" signal (to be publicly sounded upon declaration of Condition White).

12. Appreciable confusion invariably results from simultaneous conduct of a public participation drill and a control center communications drill, as required by federal plans for Operation Alert 1957. In order to keep this confusion to an absolute minimum, the only public action signals to be publicly sounded in Pennsylvania during the daylight hours on Friday, July 12, 1957, shall be two (2) "Alert", or "Attention", signals (the first to be sounded upon official declaration of Condition Yellow and the second upon official declaration of Condition White) and one (1) "Take Cover" signal (to be sounded upon official declaration of Condition Red). The only exception to this restriction is that State Council of Civil Defense Area Directors are authorized to grant approval for additional soundings of public action signals, provided the same are deemed essential to the conduct of county and local operational tests (Part VI, below).

13. The provisions of Paragraph 10, above, obviously preclude the conduct of any evacuation tests during the daylight hours on Friday, July 12. Public participation activities of this particular type shall be held after dark on Friday, July 12, or preferably, on Saturday or Sunday, July 13 or 14.

14. County and Local Civil Defense Directors in communities adjacent to the States of New Jersey and New York must bear in mind the fact that public action signals may sometimes be sounded within those States, both on July 12 and under actual attack conditions, at times which differ from those of soundings in Pennsylvania. On July 12, however, the prescribed "Take Cover" signal (Subparagraph 10 (g), above) and that particular "Alert", or "Attention", signal next following the "Take Cover" signal (Subparagraph 10 (i), above) will be sounded at the same times in all three States.

PART V - CONTROL CENTER COMMUNICATIONS DRILL

15. Essential facts concerning the control center communications drill to be held in Pennsylvania on July 12 are as outlined below.

- (a) The primary purpose of the drill will be to provide civil defense personnel with further experience in the solution of problems likely to be faced under attack conditions.
- (b) Start of the drill, late in the morning of Friday, July 12, will be marked by official State Council of Civil Defense declaration of Condition Yellow. It will automatically end at midnight, Daylight Saving Time, on the same date.
- (c) All State, county and local control centers will be expected to participate, with local centers "reporting to" county centers, county centers to Area centers, Area centers to State Control at Harrisburg, and State Control to Federal Control at Olney, Maryland.
- (d) All operations shall be carried out in the standard manner, with all messages prepared and transmitted as outlined in Paragraph 21 of Information Circular No. 50, dated May 14, 1954. All times used shall be Eastern Daylight Saving and shall be expressed on the "24-hour clock basis", where 9:30 A.M. becomes "0930", where 2:00 P.M. becomes "1400", where 10:30 P.M. becomes "2230", etc. The communications facilities to be used will include telephone, teletype and radio.
- (e) Those same declarations of Conditions Yellow, Blue, Red and White which govern the public participation drill (Part IV, immediately above), shall also govern, or be the "time guides for", the control center communications drill. (This means, of course, that the duration of Condition Red necessarily will be too short to be truly realistic, but "Take Cover" activities which would bring highway traffic throughout the State to a halt for approximately an hour obviously cannot be justified.)
- (f) The drill will be "built around" a nationwide "attack pattern" prescribed by the Federal Government. This will, in all probability, include a number of theoretical enemy strikes on various targets within the State of Pennsylvania.
- (g) Theoretical enemy strikes made on Pennsylvania targets will not be announced, or made known, in advance, but will, instead, be indicated by special "Notices of Attack", transmitted and received at the time of each theoretical attack. These notices will indicate the exact point of attack, as well as the kind and rated power, or powers, of the weapon, or weapons, employed. Their method of transmission will not be disclosed in advance of actual transmission.
- (h) Throughout the entire period of the drill, only those county and local civil defense organizations which receive notice of nuclear attack in the manner prescribed in Paragraph 17, below, shall act, or "play the role of",

bombed communities. All other organizations shall act primarily "in support of" the bombed communities. Where desired, however, any organization may "build" local, or inter-county, activities around minor incidents, such as theoretical downing of enemy aircraft, sabotage, etc.

(i) Any county or local civil defense organization which does not receive specific information to the effect that it has suffered direct damage from nuclear attack (see Paragraph 17, below) shall proceed under the assumption that the area under its immediate jurisdiction has not been, and will not be, a direct point of theoretical enemy attack.

16. Typical examples of types of traffic, or the general subjects of messages, to be sent and received during the four (4) official Conditions of Warning are presented immediately below.

(a) During Condition Yellow: Control center activation notice messages; information, or "intelligence", relating to the current Condition of Warning; current meteorological information and data required for preparing plots of possible radioactive fallout; reports of locally issued evacuation orders; and reports of local panic, or similar disturbances, if any.

(b) During Condition Blue: Further information, or "intelligence", relating to the current Condition of Warning; reports on progress of local evacuation, if ordered; county reports on numbers of local control center activation notices received; Area reports on numbers of county control center activation notices received; reports on status of mobilization of county and local civil defense forces; reports of local sabotage, if any; statewide weather summary, stressing factors likely to affect possible fire and radiation hazards; and reports of public reaction to local warning announcements.

(c) During Condition Red: Due to the comparatively short duration of this condition (necessitated by simultaneous conduct of the public participation and control center communications drills), messages transmitted during this period will be limited almost entirely to "flash" reports of enemy strikes.

(d) During Condition White: Added "flash" reports of enemy strikes; initial summary strike reports; preliminary estimates of major needs; ground zero location reports; "flash" warnings of possible fallout dangers; local law and order status reports; special emergency declarations; official fallout plots; preliminary situation reports from stricken communities; reports of establishment of emergency staging and assembly points; reports of local emergency highway controls in effect; preliminary casualty reports; specific requirement requests; reports on dispatch of convoys; preliminary estimates of housing requirements; reports of preliminary radiation surveys; report on establishment of reception centers; special medical requests; summary of supplemental strike reports; reports on convoy movements; preliminary reports of skilled manpower requirements; public utility service status reports; and countless others, the vast majority of which realistically would not be transmitted until after termination of the drill.

17. Only the County Director of those particular counties wherein direct nuclear bomb damage, as contrasted to radioactive fallout, is suffered

will receive official Notices of Attack (Paragraph 15 (g), above). Those County Directors receiving official Notices of Attack immediately shall, in the order indicated:

- (a) Dispatch, within three (3) minutes immediately following receipt of the Notice of Attack, a "flash" report of the strike (see Subparagraph 19 (a), below) to their respective Area control centers; and
- (b) Dispatch, as soon as the outer limit of the D Zone blast damage area has been determined (see "Special Note", immediately below), a special strike message to Local Directors of those political jurisdictions (within their respective counties) which suffered blast damage as a result of the strike. This special message, based on the information contained in the official Notice of Attack, shall be worded exactly as follows: "(Name of city or town) hit by a (size) bomb at (time). It was a (surface or aerial) burst with ground zero at (exact location)."
- (c) Dispatch, immediately following transmission of the messages required in Subparagraphs (a) and (b), immediately above, a "flash" report of the strike (see Subparagraph 19 (a), below) to those Local Directors (within their respective counties) whose specific areas of jurisdiction have been determined to be outside the range of blast damage and to whom the special strike message (Subparagraph (b), immediately above) consequently has not been addressed.

Special Note: Prior to July 1, 1957, the State Council of Civil Defense will furnish all County and Local Civil Defense Directors with an official "Guide for Use in Determining Areas of Bomb Damage and Rated Bomb Power". This will be designed for use in all future tests and operations;

18. All Local Directors receiving Special strike messages of the type prescribed in Subparagraph 17 (b), above, shall, immediately upon receipt of such messages, start to calculate the nature and extent of the damage, as well as the numbers of casualties, theoretically suffered within the areas under their respective jurisdictions. This readily can be done by applying the information and data presented in the damage and power guide (see "Special Note", immediately above) to maps of the areas. As this work progresses, appropriate damage reports and related messages shall be dispatched to the county control center. Several examples of messages of this type, listed in order of transmission, are: "Preliminary reports indicate heavy damage in southern half of Johnson Township, but only slight damage north of Center Creek"; "Initial casualty report for Johnson Township includes more than 1,000 persons dead or missing and about 2,500 seriously injured". "Field survey made late this afternoon disclosed approximately 275 Johnson Township homes damaged beyond repair, roughly 750 deserted but livable after extensive repairs, and about 2,000 still inhabited but in need of immediate minor repairs".

19. Based both on information received from Local Directors (Paragraph 18, immediately above) and on detailed computations made by members of their own staffs, all Directors of counties suffering direct bomb damage shall make complete damage assessment and casualty reports to their respective Area control centers. These shall be in the form of a series of realistic messages transmitted over a period of hours. Examples of the message texts and timing are presented immediately below.

- (a) "Flash" report of theoretical strike. This should be dispatched just as soon as it is definitely known that a strike had been suffered and long before any damage details or casualty figures are available: "Flash! (name of city or town) hit by nuclear weapon at 1435 hours. Details lacking".

- (b) Initial report of relative bomb power. This should be made approximately 20 minutes after attack and should be designed to provide a general idea of the magnitude of attack: "Scattered reports on area of complete destruction indicate strike on (name of city) was single atomic air burst". Or, "Preliminary reports of wide area of total destruction indicate two hydrogen bombs used in (name of city) attack".
- (c) Initial estimate of general situation. This message probably could be dispatched about 45 minutes after attack and should be designed to provide a "rough picture" of general conditions and estimated major needs: "Entire southern portion of (name of city) destroyed, with widespread area heavy damage and many fires. First needs will be large amounts of fire-fighting equipment and medical supplies".
- (d) Preliminary evacuation report, if evacuation had been ordered. This message possibly would be dispatched about one hour after attack and should be designed to furnish a rough estimate of relative numbers of casualties: "Approximately 75 per cent of people believed evacuated from center of (name of city) strike area prior to attack. This possibly has kept total deaths and serious injuries below 200,000, but has resulted in serious crowding and confusion in north portion of city and suburbs."

Special Note: In the drill, only those civil defense organizations which have filed local evacuation plans with the State Council of Civil Defense as requested in Information Circular No. 47, dated January 26, 1954, may "play the exercise" under the assumption that evacuation has taken place. All other organizations shall act under the assumption that there has been no evacuation prior to attack.

- (e) The general "approach" situation. Roughly one and one-half hours after attack it should be possible to provide generalized information as to "how the situation will have to be approached". This message should be designed to serve as a general guide for developing support operations: "Damage and destruction southern part (name of city) and current north wind will require centering of relief operations northwest - repeat northwest - of city."
- (f) Nature of burst and location of ground zero. Roughly two hours after attack, available information should make it possible to determine with reasonable accuracy the nature of the burst, or bursts, and the ground zero point, or points. This message should indicate the basis for the conclusion reached: "Aerial survey discloses huge bomb crater in southern part (name of city). Apparently a hydrogen bomb surface burst with ground zero at (exact location)." Or, "Sight lines, comparatively small area of total destruction and absence of crater indicate air atomic burst over (name of city) with ground zero at (exact location)".
- (g) Initial estimate of radiation hazard. A little more than two hours after attack, it should be possible to make a reasonable estimate of the general situation as related to possible radiation hazards. This message should include information as to operational limitations:

"Fallout plots and preliminary ground surveys indicate that radiation throughout southern half of (name of city) will prevent — repeat prevent — immediate emergency operations in that area and in all areas immediately south and southeast of the city." Or, "Preliminary surveys indicate no serious lingering radiation or fallout from air burst over (name of city). Immediate emergency operations possible throughout entire area but rapid eastward — repeat eastward — spread of fires expected because of strong west wind".

(h) Preliminary estimates of blast damage radii and estimate of bomb power. Approximately two and one-half hours after attack, it should be possible to calculate the approximate limits of the A, B, C and D blast damage zones and to estimate the power of the weapon, or weapons, used. This should be a detailed, descriptive message referencing both distances in miles and specific locations: "Preliminary blast damage report for (name of city). Area of total destruction extends roughly two — repeat two — miles from ground zero, including (names of principal facilities, industrial plants, public buildings, etc.) Heavy damage extends out to four — repeat four — miles, including (names of sites and structures) on the north, (names of sites and structures) to the west, and as far as the (name) River to the east and south. Moderate damage extends outward roughly six — repeat six — miles including (names of sites and structures and general directions). Light damage reported general as far as eight — repeat eight — miles from ground zero, including (names of sites and structures and general directions). Estimate power of weapon to have been one megaton — repeat one megaton".

(i) Preliminary estimate of casualties. Approximately three hours after attack, available information should make possible a reasonably accurate estimate of casualties suffered. This message should be designed primarily for use as a guide in the further development of support operations: "Preliminary estimate of casualties in (name of city). As of (time) hours, (number) people dead or missing. Seriously injured (number, but only (fraction or per cent) of these believed capable of rescue. Roughly (number) have suffered minor injuries requiring early treatment. General movement of casualties will be (direction) toward (names of principal 'collection points')".

(j) Preliminary estimate of general requirements for emergency feeding and housing. Some three hours, or more, after attack it may be possible to provide an over-all estimate of general emergency care requirements. This message also should be designed for use as a guide in developing support operations: "Preliminary report of emergency care requirements. As of (time) hours, (number) people in (name of city) are homeless and will require feeding and housing. Approximately (fraction or per cent) of total can remain and be cared for in city. Roughly (number) will have to be evacuated and are being moved (direction) toward major assembly points at (names and locations of parks, institutional grounds, etc.)

As stated, the above are merely examples of the types and general timing of messages which should make up "play" of the drill as carried out in counties theoretically attacked. They must, of course, be interspersed with and followed by many other messages to and from units within the county organization, as well as the Area control centers. All should be realistic and should be "built around" full use of known resources. The total number of key "attack messages" dispatched by the County Director of each county subject to attack should be not less than 100 in number.

20. Proper and effective conduct of the drill obviously will require, in addition to the part played by "stricken areas", full participation by all county and local organizations acting in "support" roles. The volume of control center traffic in these areas will be equally great, but different in nature. County and Local Directors in these areas must also develop realistic messages based on known resources and capabilities. Following transmission and receipt of mobilization messages and reports, there will come numerous assistance request messages with required answers. The latter should not simply be "dashed off on paper", but should be based on careful study of specific requests, as made by responsible staff members.

21. Obviously the effectiveness and over-all success achieved in the control center communications drill will depend primarily upon the volume and quality of the traffic, or messages, flowing through not only Area and county control centers, but local centers as well. All County and Local Directors and members of their staffs will, therefore, be expected to "go all out" in realistic conduct of the drill.

PART VI - INTER-COUNTY OPERATIONAL TESTS

22. As a part of the July test, all County and Local Civil Defense Directors are encouraged to join in the conduct of inter-county field operational tests. The primary purpose of these shall be to test and improve the ability of county and local organizations to carry out joint emergency operations.

23. Inter-county operational tests and similar field operations preferably should be carried out on Saturday or Sunday, July 13 or 14. With the specific approval of State Council of Civil Defense Area Directors, such tests may, however, be conducted during the latter part of Friday, July 12, if desired.

24. In the conduct of any and all field operational tests, the Civil Defense Directors of the participating organizations shall be responsible for the exercise of all due and reasonable safety precautions, particularly those prescribed in Paragraph 9 of Information Circular No. 61, dated May 5, 1955.

PART VII - RELATED INFORMATION

25. The accidental injury compensation provisions of Section 12.1 of the State Council of Civil Defense Act of 1951, P.L. 28, as amended, will be in force during all training and test activities carried out within the period July 8 through 14, 1957.

26. As of this date, the State Council of Civil Defense has been unable to obtain information concerning possible implementation of Conelrad during Operation Alert 1957. Should the Council subsequently receive information to the effect that Conelrad will be placed in operation at any time during the test, every effort will be made to furnish all concerned with essential facts of the matter.

27. The State Council of Civil Defense will release general information concerning the July test to press, radio, television and other news sources. Primary responsibility for proper release of detailed test information and instruction must, however, rest with County and Local Civil Defense Directors.

28. The only required report of July 12 test activities will be a summary report submitted during the course of the statewide control center communications drill (Part V, above). This report, transmitted through standard control center communications channels prior to 8:00 P.M., E.D.T., shall include summary information concerning:

- (a) The success of the public participation drill in all areas; and
- (b) The number of control centers actively participating in the drill.

29. In addition to the required report prescribed in Paragraph 28, immediately above, the State Council of Civil Defense will appreciate receipt of subsequent, written reports of local activities, including pertinent press releases and photographs.

30. Success, or failure, in the July test obviously depends, in large measure, upon the full understanding and cooperation of local, county, state and federal officials. State Council of Civil Defense representatives have discussed test plans with federal representatives and with most county and many local civil defense officials. It is now, therefore, deemed essential that all County Civil Defense Directors arrange to meet with their local Directors and staff members to discuss the contents of this circular and agree upon final details of their test participation.



Richard Gerstell
Director of Civil Defense



PHILADELPHIA

CIVIL DEFENSE COUNCIL

OPERATIONS
DIRECTIVE
NO. 3

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

subject: OPERATION ALERT - 1957 - JULY 8 - 19, 1957

PART I - GENERAL INFORMATION

1. In compliance with Information Circular No. 80, Pennsylvania State Council of Civil Defense dated June 3, 1957, the Philadelphia Civil Defense Council will participate in the National Civil Defense test "OPERATION ALERT 1957" being held during the period July 8 through 19, 1957. In Philadelphia test activities will be held on July 8, 9 and 12. The Primary purposes of the test exercises carried out within Philadelphia will be:

- (a) To provide the general public with further opportunity to become familiar with the standard public action signals;
- (b) To further test the over-all effectiveness of the attack warning devices and systems;
- (c) To provide further opportunity for members of the general public to practice basic self-protection measures;
- (d) To further test Civil Defense plans for emergency mobilization and operations; and
- (e) To provide further experience in the solution of problems likely to be faced under attack conditions.

The test also will serve to stimulate public interest and participation in the city-wide Civil Defense program.

PART II - OUTLINE OF TEST PROGRAM

2. The principal features of the July 1957 test as carried out in Pennsylvania will be as outlined below:

- (a) A public action signal familiarization program will be carried out on Monday and Tuesday evenings, July 8 and 9;
- (b) A statewide public participation drill will be held at an unannounced time on Friday, July 12;

(c) A state-wide Control Center Communications drill, sometimes called a "command post exercise" or CPX, will be carried on from late morning until midnight on Friday, July 12.

Details of the above listed features are presented in Parts III, IV, V and VI, below.

PART III - PUBLIC ACTION SIGNAL FAMILIARIZATION PROGRAM

3. In order to provide the public with further opportunity to "get to know" the two public action signals, a Public Action Signal familiarization program will be held on Monday and Tuesday, July 8 and 9, 1957. The essential details of this program are listed immediately below;

- (a) Beginning precisely at 7:15 P.M., E.D.T. on Monday evening, July 8, and AGAIN on Tuesday evening, July 9, Division X (Attack Warning), will sound the long, steady "ALERT" or "ATTENTION" signal (3 MINUTE STEADY BLAST ON SIRENS, HORNS OR WHISTLES), throughout the City. All facilities having sirens, horns or whistles are requested to broadcast this signal.
- (b) Beginning precisely at 7:30 P.M., E.D.T. on Monday evening, July 8, and AGAIN on Tuesday evening, July 9, Division X (Attack Warning), will sound the wailing "TAKE COVER" signal (3 MINUTE FLUCTUATING SIREN OR SHORT BLASTS ON HORNS OR WHISTLES), throughout the City. All facilities having sirens, horns or whistles are requested to broadcast this signal.
- (c) Well in advance and immediately prior to public sounding of the two prescribed public action signals on the evenings of July 8 and 9, all news media will be used extensively to publicize the exact times and dates of the soundings, strongly urging everyone to take the opportunity both to learn and readily distinguish one signal from the other and learn the exact meaning of each.
- (d) During public sounding of the two prescribed signals on July 8 and 9, the public at large will be expected ONLY to listen to and "get to know" each of the two signals.

4. Division and Region Directors are cautioned to make certain that the "Alert" and "Take Cover" signals are accurately described and their meanings correctly listed. As a matter of convenience, this information is summarized immediately below.

- (a) The official "Alert" or "Attention" signal is a steady, non-fluctuating blast on sirens, horns or whistles lasting for three (3) minutes.
- (b) The official meaning of the "Alert" or "Attention" signal is "LISTEN FOR EMERGENCY INFORMATION OR INSTRUCTIONS!" These instructions will be publicly disseminated by radio broadcast, by television (unless off the air under Conelrad), by public address systems and by other means locally prescribed.
- (c) The official "TAKE COVER" signal is a three (3) minute wailing siren or short blasts on horns or whistles.
- (d) The official meaning of the "TAKE COVER" signal is "Take cover immediately!"

PART IV - STATEWIDE PUBLIC PARTICIPATION DRILL

5. Pennsylvania will join with the States of New Jersey and New York in conducting a joint public participation drill to be held on Friday, July 12, 1957 during the National test "OPERATION ALERT - 1957".

6. Essential facts concerning the statewide public participation drill to be held on July 12, 1957 are outlined below.

- (a) The primary purpose of the drill will be to provide the general public further opportunity actually to practice basic self-protection measures, namely, to listen for and appropriately react to public sounding of standard public action signals.
- (b) The drill will be held during daylight hours, but its exact time will not be announced in advance of the time it actually takes place.
- (c) The "timing" of the drill will be governed by official State Council of Civil Defense declaration of warning Conditions Yellow, Blue, Red and White over the Bell-and-Light System.
- (d) Immediately upon official declaration of Condition Yellow, which will be marked by transmission of a standard Yellow warning condition signal over the Bell-and-Lights system and which will take place late in the morning, Division X (Attack Warning) shall instantly inaugurate the sounding of the Alert signal on the sirens. All Control Centers shall be fully activated upon receipt of the signal in order to carry out the Control Center communications prescribed in Part V, below.

- (e) Immediately following the sounding of the "Alert" signal an emergency message shall be broadcast by the widest possible means for public dissemination. Except for the fact that everyone will be expected to listen for this emergency message, no further action on the part of the public will be required.
- (f) Upon official declaration of Condition Blue, which will be marked by a standard Blue warning condition signal over the Bell-and-Lights system, a log entry will be made of the time and NO further action will be taken.
- (g) Immediately upon official declaration of Condition Red, which will be marked by transmission of a standard Red warning condition signal over the Bell-and-Lights system, Division X (Attack Warning) shall instantly inaugurate public sounding of the three-minute, wailing "Take Cover" signal on the sirens.
- (h) Immediately upon sounding of the "Take Cover" signal on sirens, horns or whistles, members of the general public will be expected immediately to "take cover". Division II (Security) will be expected to bring highway traffic to a halt and to direct people on sidewalks to seek refuge indoors. Persons in buildings will close windows, pull down blinds and shades and proceed to shelter areas. Persons at home will be expected to follow the same procedure. Trains, aircraft and other scheduled commercial carriers, as well as emergency vehicles, may continue operations.
- (i) Immediately upon official declaration of Condition White, which will be marked by transmission of a standard White warning condition signal over the Bell-and-Lights system, Division X (Attack Warning) shall instantly inaugurate public sounding of a long, steady "Alert", or "Attention" signal on the sirens. (This will be the day's second sounding of the official "Alert" or "Attention" signal. Following the sounding of the "Alert" signal an emergency message shall be broadcast by the widest possible means for public dissemination.)
- (j) Following this "Alert" signal and the accompanying dissemination of the emergency messages, traffic will resume movement and people their normal pursuits. This will mark the end of the public participation drill. (The Control Center Communications drill will, of course, continue until midnight unless sooner terminated.)

7. Division II (Security) will coordinate traffic control on interstate bridges during the "Take Cover" period of the test with the authorities or the appropriate officials of the New Jersey communities concerned.

PART V - CONTROL CENTER COMMUNICATIONS DRILL

8. Essential facts concerning the Control Center Communications drill to be held in Philadelphia on July 12 are as outlined below:

- (a) The primary purpose of the drill will be to provide Civil Defense personnel with further experience in the solution of problems likely to be faced under attack conditions.
- (b) Start of the drill, late in the morning of Friday, July 12, will be marked by official State Council of Civil Defense declaration of Condition Yellow. It will automatically end at midnight, Daylight Saving Time, on the same date.
- (c) All times used shall be Eastern Daylight Saving and shall be expressed on the "24-hour clock basis", where 9:30 A.M. becomes "0930", where 2:00 P.M. becomes "1400", where 10:30 P.M. becomes "2230", etc. The communications facilities to be used will include telephone, teletype and radio.
- (d) Those same declarations of Conditions Yellow, Red and White which govern the public participation drill, shall also govern, or be the "time guides for", the Control Center communications drill. (This means, of course, that the duration of Condition Red necessarily will be too short to be truly realistic, but activities which would bring highway traffic throughout the City to a halt for approximately an hour obviously cannot be justified.)
- (e) The drill will be "built around" a nationwide "attack pattern" prescribed by the Federal Government. This will, in all probability, include a number of theoretical enemy strikes on various targets within the State of Pennsylvania.
- (f) Theoretical enemy strikes made on Pennsylvania targets will not be announced, or made known, in advance, but will, instead, be indicated by special "Notices of Attack", transmitted and received at the time of each theoretical attack. These notices will indicate the exact point of attack, as well as the kind and rated power, or powers, of the weapon, or weapons, employed. Their method of transmission will not be disclosed in advance of actual transmission.

9. Region and District Directors should be on the alert to receive "Notices of Attack" that may be delivered to them in sealed envelopes or by other methods of communications.

Immediately upon the receipt of such a message a "flash report" shall be immediately sent by the quickest means available to the next higher Control Center which will be forwarded through channels to the Main Control Center. After forwarding the "flash" message the Region and District Directors concerned shall immediately start to calculate the nature and extent of the damage, as well as the number of casualties theoretically suffered within the areas under their respective jurisdiction. As this work progresses approximate damage reports shall be dispatched through channels to Main Control.

PART VI - RELATED INFORMATION

10. The accidental injury compensation provisions of Section 12.1 of the State Council of Civil Defense Act of 1951, P.L. 28, as amended, will be in force during all training and test activities carried out within the period July 8 through 14, 1957.

11. Success, or failure, in the July test obviously depends, in large measure, upon the full understanding and cooperation of the entire Civil Defense organization.

Philip Klein

Philip Klein
Executive Director

June 19, 1957

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : D. J. Parsons

DATE: 6-25-57

FROM : B. J. White

SUBJECT: RELOCATION SITES
OPERATION ALERT 1957

Many field offices for the purpose of Operation Alert 1957 will not occupy their chosen and officially approved relocation sites. These field offices have advised that they will move to a more expedient site such as a resident agency for Operation Alert 1957. Many factors such as economy, security, or local conditions make this a practical procedure. However, the Laboratory will, for damage assessment work, assume that the field offices have relocated in their chosen officially approved sites.

ACTION: For information only.

1 - Mr. J. T. Minnich

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1 - Section
1 - Mr. Minnich
BY COURIER SERVICE

Date: June 26, 1957

To: Evaluation Officer
In care of Office of Defense Mobilization
Room 224, EOB, (Old State)
Washington 25, D. C.

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

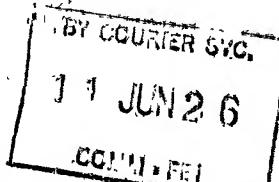
Subject: OPERATION ALERT - 1957
Report for Period 12 Noon,
June 19, 1957, to 12 Noon,
June 26, 1957

Situation closely followed for indications
of any actions necessary to fully implement
responsibilities this Bureau.

NOTE:

Address is as required by ODM instructions.
Memoranda Belmont to Boardman, 6-6&17-57, advised this
report required by ODM and that terminology would be
as set forth. This report must be delivered via
courier by 5 P.M., EDST, 6-26-57.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. L. V. BOARDMAN

DATE: July 1, 1957

FROM : A. H. BELMONT

SUBJECT: DEFENSE PLANS -- OPERATION ALERT 1957

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On June 28, 1957, John Airhart, relocation officer of the Department, telephonically advised Supervisor Minnich, Bureau Defense Plans Desk, that the Attorney General and Mrs. Brownell will be out of the United States traveling in Europe from July 17 to August 27, 1957, inclusively.

Airhart advised William E. Foley, Executive Assistant, Internal Security Division, Department of Justice, will be the duty officer in charge of the Department's relocation site at 12 noon, EDST, July 12, 1957, when the alert sounds. Airhart pointed out the question might arise regarding Foley's granting authorization for placing the Emergency Detention Program into effect since Foley does not possess such authority. Airhart said Foley will respond to such a request by stating that upon the instruction of the Attorney General, at the direction of the Attorney General, or some such words to this effect, authorization is granted to place the Emergency Detention Program into effect.

Airhart also furnished the summer residences of the Brownell family. A letter has been sent to pertinent field offices reminding them of contents of No Number SAC Letter 55-K which instructed that in the event of an emergency each office is to render all assistance possible under the circumstances to the Attorney General's family.

ACTION:

* Copy attached.

For information.

- 1 - Mr. Boardman
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Roach
- 1 - Mr. Daunt
- 1 - Mr. Minnich

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1 - Section
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Date: July 3, 1957

To: Evaluation Officer
In care of Office of Defense Mobilization
Room 224 EOB, (Old State)
Washington 25, D. C.

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Subject: *OPERATION ALERT - 1957*
REPORT FOR PERIOD 12 NOON,
JUNE 26, 1957, to 12 NOON,
JULY 3, 1957

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of any actions necessary to fully implement responsi-
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NOTE ON YELLOW:

Address is as required by ODM instructions. Memoranda
Belmont to Boardman 6/6 and 17, 1957, advised this report re-
quired by ODM and that terminology would be as set forth. This
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. L. V. Boardman *l.v.b.*

DATE: June 27, 1957

FROM : Mr. A. H. Belmont *a.h.b.*SUBJECT: DEFENSE PLANS-
OPERATION ALERT 1957
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Situation Report Number 5 dated June 27, 1957,
 emanating from the White House has been received and it is
 in the nature of a news flash which indicates the communist
 attack against the allied nation in which United States forces
 were engaged on June 20 is continuing.

This assumed Situation Report is for use in connection
 with Operation Alert only. Its contents require no action
 by the Bureau and you will be kept advised upon receipt of
 additional Situation Reports.

ACTION:

for information.

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- 1 - Mr. Boardman
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Branigan
- 1 - Mr. Bland
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT

DATE: July 2, 1957

FROM : MR. R. R. ROACH

SUBJECT: DEFENSE PLANS -
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Attached to the tickler copy for Mr. McGuire are instructions pertaining to [communications for the Department of Justice-Immigration and Naturalization Service relocation site which were received from Mr. J. Canavan, Defense Plans Coordinator, Department of Justice.]

ACTION:

That the Communications Section utilize these instructions in connection with Operation Alert 1957.

- 1 - Mr. Nichols
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. McGuire (Attn: Mr. Wherry) (with enclosure)
- 1 - Section
- 1 - Mr. Minnich

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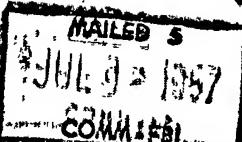
BUPLANS - OPERATION ALERT 1957

Attached is a list of officially approved field office relocation sites to be utilized during Operation Alert 1957 and the identities of personnel manning these sites during the exercise. It should be noted that many field offices will not occupy the officially approved relocation site during Operation Alert 1957; however, for bomb damage and fall-out assessment each field office is to report and react.

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**Letter to SAC, Albany
RE: BUPLANS - OPERATION ALERT 1957**

to this data as though occupying its officially approved relocation site, i.e. if bomb damage or fall-out data affect the site occupied for Operation Alert 1957 only but does not affect the officially approved site, it will not be necessary to simulate moving from the site as required by SAC Letter 57-37 (A) (6).

All offices are advised that some adjustments in field office duty hours were made at the Bureau in order to conform with the Bureau's instructions regarding manning of relocation sites.

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FIELD OFFICE

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Albany, N. Y.

Otesaga Hotel
Cooperstown, N. Y.
Tel. Cooperstown 838,888

Resident Agency
Schenectady, N. Y.
Tel. Franklin 4-3344
11 a.m. to 10 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
10 p.m. 7-12-57 to [redacted] b6
9 a.m. 7-13-57 b7C
SA Joseph A. McGraw
9 a.m. to 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]

Albuquerque, N. M. The Chemistry Building
New Mexico Institute
of Mining and Technology
Socorro, N. M.
Tel. 588, Ext. 15

Resident Agency
Las Cruces, N. M.
Tel. Jackson 6-2351
10 a.m.-4 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
4 p.m.-10 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
10 p.m. 7-12-57 to [redacted] b6
4 a.m. 7-13-57 b7C
SA [redacted]
4 a.m. to 10 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
10 a.m. to 4 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
4 p.m. to 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Carlton

Anchorage, Alaska

AAES Building
Palmer, Alaska
Tel. Palmer 3101,3102

Anchorage Office
C. W. Radio Station
Anchorage, Alaska
Radio - FBI CW Radio Channels
Tel. 30771
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Joyce E. Cochran
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to [redacted] b6
11 a.m. 7-13-57 b7C
SA [redacted]
11 a.m.-7 p.m.
SA Cochran
7 p.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]

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Atlanta, Ga.

Berry Schools
Rome, Ga.
Tel. Rome 5374, 3213

Resident Agency
Rome, Ga.
Tel. Rome 5364
11 a.m. - 11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
8 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
8 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]

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Baltimore, Md.

Westminster High School
Longwell Avenue
Westminster, Md.
Tel. Westminster
295, 831

Resident Agency
Frederick, Md.
Tel. Monument 2-1612
11 a.m. - 11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
11 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]

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Birmingham, Ala.

Primary School
Cullman, Ala.
Tel. Cullman 716

Primary School
Cullman, Ala.
Tel. Cullman 716
11 a.m. - 11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to 11 a.m.
7-13-57
SA [redacted]
11 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]

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FIELD OFFICE

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RELOCATION SITE
OPERATION 1957
INDUSTRIAL

Boston, Mass.

Deerfield Academy
Deerfield, Mass.
Tel. Prescott 3-3618

Resident Agency
Springfield, Mass.
Tel. Republic 6-0734
11 a.m.-10 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Robert F. Saunders
10 p.m. 7-12-57 to
9 a.m. 7-13-57
SA Walter F. Brady
9 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Saunders

Buffalo, N. Y.
Mayville, N. Y.

Hotel William Peacock
Mayville, N. Y.
Tel. Mayville 3161, 3763

Resident Agency
Rochester, N. Y.
Tel. Baker 5-1860
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
11 a.m.-8 p.m.
SA [redacted]

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Butte, Mont.

City Hall
Deer Lodge, Mont.
Tel. Deerlodge 386

City Hall
Deer Lodge, Mont.
Tel. Deerlodge 386
11 a.m. - 11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
11 a.m. - 8 p.m.
SA [redacted]

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Charlotte, N. C.

Chambers Building
Davidson, N. C.
Tel. c/o Orlie Martin
College Treasurer
Davidson 9071

Resident Agency

Hickory, N. C.

Tel. 3222

11 a.m. - 11p.m. 7-12-57
SA Roland E. Trent
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA James T. Magher
11 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Trent

Chicago, Ill.

Northern Illinois
University
DeKalb, Ill.
Tel. DeKalb 6-9461

Northern Illinois University
Cafeteria Building
DeKalb, Ill.
Tel. Dekalb 6-2973
11 a.m. 9-p.m. 7-12-57
SA James T. Moreland
9 p.m. 7-12-57 to
9 a.m. 7-13-57
SA Sel E. Dennis
9 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Moreland

Cincinnati, Ohio

Sunday School Wing
St. Paul's Evangelical
and Reformed Church
907 North Ohio Street
Sidney, Ohio
Tel. Hyatt 8-9211

Resident Agency

Dayton, Ohio

Tel. Hemlock 1-7485

11 a.m. - 11 p.m. 7-12-57

SA [redacted]

11 p.m. 7-12-57 to

11 a.m. 7-13-57

SA [redacted]

11 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57

SA Donohue

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100 PERSONNEL*

Cleveland, Ohio

American Legion
Post #121, Thurston
2212 E.
Fremont, Ohio
Tel. Federal 2-3391

Resident Agency
Toledo, Ohio
Tel. Cherry 3-3124
11 a.m. - 11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA Ted Bricchetto
11 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]

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Dallas, Tex.

Elementary School
Texas State Orphans Home
Corsicana, Tex.
Tel. Tremont 4-3262

Elementary School
Texas State Orphans Home
Corsicana, Tex.
Tel. Tremont 4-3262
11 a.m. - 11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Earle Haley
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
11 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Haley

Denver, Colo.

Student Union Building
Colorado A & M College
Fort Collins, Colo.
Tel. Hunter 2-2300

Resident Agency
Fort Collins, Colo.
Tel. Hunter 2-3422
11 a.m. - 11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA William E. Robinson
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA Kenneth Bridenstine
11 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Robinson

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Detroit, Michigan

Law Quadrangle
University of Michigan
Ann Arbor, Michigan
(currently being
negotiated)

Resident Agency
Ann Arbor, Michigan
Tel. Normandy 2-2597
11 a.m. to 1D p.m. 7-12-57

SA [redacted] b6
10 p.m. 7-12-57 to
[redacted] b7C
SA [redacted]
12 a.m. to 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]

El Paso, Texas

Gymnasium, Van Horn
High School
Van Horn, Texas
Tel. Van Horn 167

Resident Agency
Midland, Texas
Tel. Mutual 2-4766
11 a.m. to 12 Midnight 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
12:01 a.m. to
12 noon 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
12 noon to 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]

Honolulu, T. H.

Birkheimer Tunnel
Diamond Head Crater
Oahu, T. H.
Tel. 7-2161

Birkheimer Tunnel
Diamond Head Crater
Oahu, T. H.
Tel. 7-2161
11 a.m. to 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Harry L. Albrecht
8 p.m. 7-13-57 to
5 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Leo S. Brenneisen
5 a.m. to 2 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Albrecht
2 p.m. to 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Brenneisen

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Houston, Texas

Texas Agricultural
& Mechanical College
College Station, Texas
Tel. Victor 6-7416

Texas Agricultural
& Mechanical College
College Station, Texas
Tel. Victor 6-7416

11 a.m. to 11 p.m. 7-12-57

SA [redacted] b6

11 p.m. 7-12-57 to

11 a.m. 7-13-57

SA [redacted]

11 a.m. to 4 p.m. 7-13-57

SA [redacted]

4 p.m. to 8 p.m. 7-13-57

SA [redacted]

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Indianapolis, Ind. Second Floor, Law School
Building, Indiana
University, East Third
Street and South Indiana
Avenue
Bloomington, Indiana
Tel. Bloomington 6811 Ext. 274

Resident Agency
Terre Haute, Indiana

Tel. Crawford 3-223

11 a.m. to 8 p.m. 7-12-57

ASAC [redacted]

8 p.m. 7-12-57 to

8 a.m. 7-13-57

SA [redacted]

8 a.m. to 8 p.m. 7-13-57

ASAC [redacted]

Kansas City, Mo. Conception College
& Seminary
Conception Junction, Mo.
Tel. 11A, 22A

Conception College
& Seminary
Conception Junction, Mo.

Tel. 11A, 22A

11 a.m. to 11 p.m. 7-12-57

SAC Paul H. Stoddard

11 p.m. 7-12-57 to

11 a.m. 7-13-57

SA [redacted]

11 a.m. to 8 p.m. 7-13-57

ASAC Stoddard

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Knoxville, Tenn.

Merner Pfeiffer
Library Building
Tennessee Wesleyan
College
Athene, Tenn.
Tel. Athens 527-9183

Little Rock, Ark.

U.S. Free Bath House
Building
Hot Springs, Ark.
Tel. -Not currently
installed. Facilities
available for immediate
hookup in emergency.

Los Angeles, Calif.

Villanova Preparatory
School
Ojai, California
Tel. Milton 6-1464
Milton 6-1465

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Resident Agency
Chattanooga, Tenn.
Tel. Amherst 5-3601
Amherst 5-3602
Amherst 7-0083
11 a.m. - 11 p.m. 7412-57
ASAC Robert A. Andersen, Jr.
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to b6
11 a.m. 7-13-57 b7C
SA [redacted]
11 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7413-57
ASAC Andersen

Resident Agency
Camden, Ark.
Tel. Temple 6-6502
11 a.m. - 11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
11 a.m. 7-12-57 to
11 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
11 p.m. - 8 p.m. 7-413-57
SA [redacted]

Villanova Preparatory
School
Ojai, Calif.
Tel. Milton 6-1464
Milton 6-1465
11 a.m. - 11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
11 p.m. - 7-12-57
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
11 a.m. - 8 p.m.
SA [redacted]

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Louisville, Ky.

U.S. Park Reservation
Mammoth Cave, Ky.
Tel. Mammoth Cave 395
(Glasgow, Ky., Exchange)

Memphis, Tenn.

Resident Agency
307 Post Office
Building
Clarkdale, Miss.
Tel. Main 4-4826

Miami, Fla.

Boca Raton Hotel &
Club
Federal Highway
Route #1 At Banyan
Road
Boca Raton, Fla.
Tel. Boca Raton 3151
Boca Raton 3158
Boca Raton 3157
Boca Raton 3158
Teletype-West Palm Beach,
Fla. - 04

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Resident Agency
Bowling Green, Ky.
Tel. Victor 3-4734
8 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
8 p.m. 7-12-57 to
8 a.m. 7-13-57
SA Marcus S. Wallace
8 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]

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Resident Agency
307 Post Office Building
Clarkdale, Miss.
Tel. Main 4-4826
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA John D. Sullivan
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
11 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Sullivan

Boca Raton Hotel & Club
Federal Highway Route #1
At Banyan Road
Boca Raton, Fla.
Tel. Boca Raton 5419
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA E. W. Wisconsin
11 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]

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FIELD OFFICE

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Milwaukee, Wisc.

**Northwestern College
Watertown, Wisc.
Tel. Watertown 1312
(When occupied,
Watertown 2640, 2641,
2642, 1251, 1487,
1501.)**

Minneapolis, Minn.

**Elementary School of
Independent School
District # 1
Elk River, Minn.
Tel. Elk River 140**

Mobile, Ala.

**Citronelle High
School
Citronelle, Ala.
Tel. Volunteer 6-5533
(Mobile, Ala., Exchange)**

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**Resident Agency
Madison, Wisc.
Tel. Alpine 5-0106
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Alexander D. Manson
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA Eldon J. Mueller
11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Manson**

**Resident Agency
St. Cloud, Minn.
Tel. Blackburn 1-1644
11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Andrew K. Uggen
8 p.m. 7-12-57 to
8 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
8 a.m. - 10 a.m. 7-13-57
SA Uggen
10 a.m.-3 p.m. 7-13-57 b6
SA [redacted] b7C
3 p.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Uggen**

**Resident Agency
Pensacola, Fla.
Tel. Hemlock 2-4788
11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Robert L. Crongeyer
8 p.m. 7-12-57 to
8 a.m. 7-13-57
SA Howard F. Gibbs
8 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Crongeyer**

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Newark, N. J.

Administration Building
Morristown National
Park
Morristown, N. J.
Tel. Jefferson 9 2016

Resident Agency
Morristown, N. J.
Tel. Jefferson 8-4422
11 a.m.-9 p.m.
SA Charles E. Kleinkauf
9 p.m. 7-12-57 to
7 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
7 a.m.-2 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Kleinkauf
2 p.m.-8 p.m.
SA [redacted]

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New Haven, Conn.

The Hotchkiss School
Lakeville, Conn.
Tel. Hemlock 5-2591

The Headmasters Residence
The Hotchkiss School
Lakeville, Conn.
Tel. Hemlock 5-2591
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA Robert B. Hawley
11 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]

New Orleans, La.

Southwest Mississippi
Junior College
Summit, Miss.
Tel. Summit 2381

Resident Agency
Jackson, Miss.
Tel. Jackson 2-8383
Jackson 2-8384
11 a.m.-9 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
9 p.m. 7-12-57 to
9 a.m. 7-13-57
SA James M. Stockton
9 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]

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New York, N.Y.

Bennett Jr. College
for Girls, Millbrook,
N.Y. (currently being
negotiated)

Resident Agency
Poughkeepsie, N.Y.
Tel. Poughkeepsie
1794

11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-12-57

SA [redacted] b6

8 p.m. 7-12-57 to

8 a.m. 7-13-57

SA George Tempio

8 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57

SA [redacted]

Norfolk, Va.

Southampton County
Court House, Second
Floor
Courtland, Va.
Tel. Courtland 2381
2401

Resident Agency
Newport News, Va.
Tel. Newport News
2-9931

11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-12-57

SA Harry L. McCarthy

8 p.m. 7-12-57 to

8 a.m. 7-13-57

SA James S. Spratt

8 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57

SA McCarthy

Oklahoma City, Okla.

Scottish Rite Temple
Harrison Ave.
Guthrie, Okla.
Tel. 1201

Resident Agency
Ponca City, Okla.
Tel. Roger 5-3777

11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57

SA Calvin Rice

11 p.m. 7-12-57 to

11 a.m. 7-13-57

SA Jack H. Bales

11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57

SA Rice

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Omaha, Neb.

Resident Agency
205 U. S. Post Office
Building
Grand Island, Neb.
Tel. Dupont 2-3690

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Resident Agency
Grand Island, Neb.
Tel. Dupont 2-3690
8 a.m.-2 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Harold F.
Brueggeman
2 p.m.-10 p.m.
7-12-57

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SA [redacted]
10 p.m.-7-12-6 a.m.
7-13-57

SA Brueggeman
6 a.m.-12 noon
7-13-57

SA [redacted]
12 noon-4 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Brueggeman
4 p.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]

Philadelphia, Pa.

New Science Building
New Dormitory Building
Lycoming College
Williamsport, Pa.
Tel. Williamsport 2-2949
or Williamsport 4384
(Resident Agent)

Office of Head
Counsellor, New Dormitory
Bldg., Lycoming
College, Williamsport,
Pa.,
Tel. Williamsport
2-2949

11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Henry M. Yoes
11 p.m. 7-13-11 a.m.
7-13-57
SA Fred C. Birkby
11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Yoes

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Phoenix, Ariz.

Prescott School #
Building
313 West Goodwin
Prescott, Ariz.
Tel. Prescott 1290

Resident Agency
Prescott, Ariz.
Tel. Prescott 1250
11 a.m.-7 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Bernard F. LaBran
7 p.m. 7-12-57 to
7 a.m. 7-13-57
SA Jeff R. Laird
7 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA LaBran

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Pittsburgh, Pa.

Science Building
Fairmont State College
Fairmont, W. Va.
Tel. Fairmont 4400

Resident Agency
Fairmont, W. Va.
Tel. Fairmont 4885
11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-12-57
SA John E. Brooks
8 p.m. 7-12-57 to
8 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
8 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Brooks

Portland, Ore.

Gym Building
Chemawa Indian School
Chemawa, Ore.
Tel. Empire 34045
Empire 27981

Resident Agency
Salem, Ore.
Tel. Empire 2-6801
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Vern F. Davis
11 p.m.-7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Davis

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Richmond, Va.

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*Gables Hotel
Elkton, Va.
Tel. None ~
Immediate connections
in emergency.*

St. Louis, Mo.

*Presser Hall
Hardin Junior High
School
Mexico, Mo.
Tel. Justice 1-3773
Justice 1-3774*

**Salt Lake City,
Utah**

*Intermountain School
Bureau of Indian
Affairs, Department
of Interior
Brigham City, Utah
Tel. Brigham City 1035
Teletype-Brigham City 31*

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*Resident Agency
Harrisonburg, Va.
Tel. Harrisonburg 4-8302
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Leonard W. Walters b6
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to b7C
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA Willis A. Benner
11 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Walters*

*Resident Agency
Mexico, Mo.
Tel Justice 1-4611
11 a.m.- 8 p.m. 7-12-57
SA [redacted]
9 p.m. 7-12-57 to
8 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
8 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]*

*Resident Agency
Ogden, Utah
Tel. Export 4-8080
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Carter E. Jones
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
11 a.m. - 8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Jones*

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FIELD OFFICE

OFFICIALLY APPROVED
RELOCATION SITE

San Antonio, Tex.

Schreiner Institute
Kerrville, Tex.
Tel. Kerrville 381
Kerrville 1234

San Diego, Calif.

Building 13131
Camp Pendleton
San Diego County, Calif.
Tel. - None. Extensions
will be run from
Camp Pendleton in an
emergency. (Saratoga 2-
4111)

San Francisco, Calif.

Del Monte Properties
Monterey, Calif.
Tel. Mayfair 4-6411

RELOCATION SITE
OPERATION ALERT 1957
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Resident Agency
Austin, Tex.
Tel. Greenwood 8-8501
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA George W. H. Carlson
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA James C. Kennedy
11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Carlson

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Resident Agency
Camp Pendleton, Calif.
Tel. Saratoga 2-4111
Ext. 2220
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA (A) A.A. Armstrong, Jr.
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Armstrong

Resident Agency
Monterey, Calif.
Tel. Frontier 3-9129
11 a.m.-10 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Frank W. Mitchell
10 p.m. 7-12-57 to
10 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
10 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Mitchell

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FIELD OFFICE

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San Juan, P.R.

Henry Barracks
Cayey, Puerto Rico
Tel. San Juan 2-0000,
2-0090, Ext. Henry
Barracks 216, 259

Savannah, Ga.

Physical Education
Building
Statesboro, Ga.
Tel. Popular 4-3419

Seattle, Wash.

Yakima Police
Department
Yakima, Wash.
Tel. Glencourt
7-4129 through
7-4120

RELOCATION SITE
OPERATION ALERT 1957
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Cayey, Puerto Rico
Tel. 2-0000

Ext. 330
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA William V. Curran
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA [redacted]
11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Curran

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Physical Education
Building
Statesboro, Ga.
Tel. Popular 4-3419
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA James H. Applegate
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA Joseph D. Purvis
11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Applegate

Resident Agency
Yakima, Wash.
Tel. Glencourt 3-9627
11 a.m.-11 p.m. 7-12-57
SA Eugene P. Clark
11 p.m. 7-12-57 to
11 a.m. 7-13-57
SA R. Bert Carter
11 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Clark

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FIELD OFFICE

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Springfield, Ill.

Illinois College
Jacksonville, Ill.
Tel. c/o Vernon Caine
President of College
Tel. Jacksonville 3-7126

Washington, D. C.
(Washington Field Office)

Shepherd State College
Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Tel. Martinsburg 5872
Shepherdstown 2241
President's Office;
Shepherdstown 3971
Academic Dean and
Broadcasting Studio;
Shepherdstown 3711
Business Office;
Education Building
3071
Science Building 4102
Cafeteria 4103
Education Division
3081
Men's Dormitory 3801
Girls' Dormitory 2531
Teletype- Shepherdstown
TWX 399

RELOCATION SITE
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Resident Agency
Peoria, Ill.
Tel. Peoria 4-4131
11 a.m.-10 p.m. 7-12-57
SA William C. Ritt
10 p.m. 7-12-57 to
10 a.m. 7-13-57
SA Marcus E. Sharpe
10 a.m.-8 p.m. 7-13-57
SA Ritt

Shepherd State College
Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Tel. Martinsburg 5872
Teletype Shepherdstown
TWX 399
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8 p.m. 7-13-57
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SAC L.L. Laughlin
SA _____
SA Lawrence T. Gurley

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. L. V. BOARDMAN *1/28 7/2/57*

DATE: June 28, 1957

FROM : A. H. BELMONT *APR 12/57*

SUBJECT: DEFENSE PLANS -- OPERATION ALERT 1957

On June 28, 1957, 4:25 p.m., John Airhart, relocation officer of the Department, telephonically advised Supervisor Minnich, Defense Plans Desk, Liaison Section, that the Attorney General, either June 28, 1957, or June 29, 1957, will make a request of the Director for the use of a Bureau bus to transport executive reservists to the Department's relocation site, Martinsburg, West Virginia, on July 15, 1957, and return them to Washington, D. C., on July 16, 1957. Airhart was of the opinion the Attorney General would either contact the Director telephonically or send a short memorandum making such a request. Also, Airhart understands the request will contain the promise that the Bureau be reimbursed for any cost incurred in connection with the use of the bus.

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[redacted] of the Administrative Division advised that Bureau buses are in use full time for Bureau training classes.

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ACTION:

For information.

6/28 - Director's office was telephonically advised re the above.

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1 - Mr. Boardman
1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Roach
1 - Mr. Minnich

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TO : Mr. L. V. Boardman *7/11/57*
 FROM : A. H. Belmont *7/11/57*

DATE: July 16, 1957

SUBJECT: DEFENSE PLANS - OPERATION ALERT 1957
 (AT RELOCATION SITE)

Attached hereto is a copy of proposed instructions to all officials and employees having an interest in or to participate in Bureau activity at our relocation site during Operation Alert 1957, July 12-19, 1957. These instructions are similar to instructions issued to employees during Operation Alert 1956, and they pertain to the routing of mail received at the site, the handling of incoming and outgoing telephone calls, instructions relative to the personal well-being of the employees, the duty hours they will be expected to work, the type of dress while at the relocation site and general information regarding their conduct during the course of the exercise. Also, the instructions cover use of communication facilities so as to avoid security violations, and the fact that a curb drill or test for nonevacuees has not been scheduled by civil defense authorities as of this date.

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If these instructions are approved, they will be disseminated to officials as indicated on the attached copies.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

(1) That the attached copy of instructions be approved for dissemination to interested officials and employees.

(2) That each official receiving a copy of the instructions should inform the personnel under his supervision relative to their participation in Operation Alert 1957.

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5) (3) That in accordance with procedures followed during Operation Alert 1956, all incoming communications at relocation site

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be routed through the Domestic Intelligence Division immediately upon receipt thereof, and outgoing communications prior to their dispatch should be cleared through the Domestic Intelligence Division (with the exception of those pertaining to bomb damage and fall-out data, which should be routed immediately to the Laboratory Division)..

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MR. L. V. BOARDMAN

July 5, 1957

MR. A. H. BELMONT

**DEFENSE PLANS - OPERATION ALERT 1957
(AT RELOCATION SITE)**

In order that the Domestic Intelligence Division may fulfill its coordinating responsibility during Operation Alert 1957, keep the Director advised of all developments during the course of the exercise, facilitate the preparation of reports required by ODM, and to insure that sufficient information will always be available to prepare any necessary briefs for the Director's use during the course of the exercise, it is desirable that all incoming messages with the exception of those pertaining to bomb damage and fall-out data be routed through the Domestic Intelligence Division. Bomb damage and fall-out data should be routed to Mr. Parsons of the Laboratory Division immediately upon receipt. Laboratory Division personnel will process all bomb damage and fall-out data and keep the Domestic Intelligence Division currently advised of the situation in each field territory. All messages initially received in the Domestic Intelligence Division and in the Laboratory Division will be logged and followed closely where any action is involved.

Of course, during the time that the Director is at the relocation site the original of all pertinent communications will be furnished to him immediately upon receipt, in which instance a copy of the message should be routed through the Domestic Intelligence Division or the Laboratory Division as the case may be for immediate information where each message will be logged and thereafter routed to the appropriate Division representative for handling.

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2 - Mr. Nichols	2 - Mr. Holloman
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8 - Mr. Belmont	1 - Mr. Roach
4 - Mr. Tamm	1 - Mr. Brown
6 - Mr. Mohr	1 - Defense Plans Coordinator
5 - Mr. Parsons	1 - Mr. Minnich

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Re: Defense Plans - Operation Alert 1957

Incoming and outgoing telephone calls relative to Operation Alert made by participating personnel at the relocation site will normally be the subject of a written memorandum. To carry out the responsibilities of the Domestic Intelligence Division as set forth above, a copy of all memoranda should be designated for that Division so that we may be fully apprised of the status of any problems involved. Similarly the Domestic Intelligence Division should be kept currently advised of all special problems which in any way pertain to Operation Alert 1957.

Generally speaking, each Division and administrative office participating in the exercise will be responsible for that portion of the exercise and procedures or responsibilities resulting therefrom for which it would normally be responsible in a Seat of Government operation. This should tend to make for a smooth, well-run operation. In so far as Bureau participation in Operation Alert 1957 is concerned, the exercise will begin with a simulated alert followed by the established notification procedures on the morning of July 12, 1957. Bureau personnel or their alternates scheduled for evacuation in an actual emergency should await notification from the person who is now scheduled to pass on the alert signal during normal working hours. Upon receipt of this signal all 187 individuals or their alternates scheduled for relocation in an actual emergency should proceed to the corridor outside Room 1541 where they will be "checked off." Those individuals scheduled to participate in the exercise at the Bureau relocation site will at that time be dispatched to transportation, either privately owned vehicles or a Bureau bus. All other individuals will return to their assigned duties.

Personnel going to the relocation site on July 12, 1957, should report to work that morning prepared to spend the next seven days at the relocation site. In this connection, it should be noted that as many people as possible will be released on the evening of the second day, Saturday, July 13, 1957. All meals at Quantico will be served in the dining room beginning with lunch on July 12. ample towels, soap and bedding

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are available at the relocation site. SAC Sloan has advised that arrangements have been made for two-day laundry and dry cleaning service while at the relocation site. Everyone should come supplied with sufficient clothing and other personal necessities to see them through the entire period of the exercise. Normal business attire will not be required of clerical employees. Female employees may wear such informal attire as anklets and loafers instead of high-heeled shoes, etc. Shorts will not be permitted.

Each Division head should make certain that all personnel participating in the exercise are impressed with the seriousness of this operation and that frivolity will not be permitted. All Agent personnel will be expected to work 12-hour shifts i.e., 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Clerical personnel will in so far as possible be scheduled on an 8-hour shift basis. Those employees reporting to the relocation site on July 12 who are scheduled to work a night shift may be permitted to spend the period from the time of reporting to the Academy to 8 p.m., resting in their assigned bedrooms or in the recreation room.

On arrival at the relocation site each employee will sign in on an appropriate register and on departure will sign out on the same register. Each employee will also be required to sign the Divisional Register daily. Each Division head will assume the responsibility of calling the time and attendance clerk of each Division at the Seat of Government to make certain the time and attendance records are up to date as required.

In the event it becomes necessary for the family or dependents of an employee to contact an employee while at the relocation site, such contact should be made through the acting Division head at the Seat of Government who will in turn contact the employee at the relocation site and arrange for that employee to contact his or her family. Under no circumstances should a member of the employee's family visit the relocation site during the test. There is,

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of course, no objection to employees informing their adult dependents they are participating in Operation Alert 1957 at the Bureau relocation sites for the period of July 12 through 19, 1957. Each Division head should make certain that operations for which he is responsible during the test period are adequately covered at all times. To that end, meals will be served over a two-hour period, including the midnight shift. Employees will be permitted to claim \$1.80 per diem per day less 96¢ per night for lodging furnished by the Government. Sleeping accommodations will be available for all individuals participating in this test. Specific room assignments will be made at the relocation site. Once again it is imperative that all employees be impressed with the seriousness of this operation. Each employee should be familiar with his or her duties at the relocation site and bear in mind that this is a test of the Bureau's readiness to carry out our essential functions under emergency conditions and that, in the event of a real emergency, the FBI has tremendous responsibilities for the internal security of this country.

Regarding the use of communication facilities at Quantico, ODD has advised that it is a violation of security regulations to do any of the following in plain text messages:

1. Associate the name of an agency with its code name, e.g., "This is the FBI, (Code name)." Also, it should be realized in placing telephone calls to an agency's relocation site, (1) from our relocation site through one of our tie-lines to High Point or (2) from the Director's mobile radio, that the code name of the agency called must be given to the High Point switchboard operator by a Bureau switchboard operator or by the Director, respectively. Since the agency's code name has been used any further reference to that agency during instant call should be made by use of the agency's code name, if possible.

2. Associate the name of an agency with the geographic location of its relocation site.

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3. Associate the name of an agency or its code name with the agency's relocation site commercial telephone number.

4. Refer to local weather, past, present or forecast.

5. Send the same message in plain text (orally or in writing) that was previously sent in coded form or vice versa. Personnel at or making calls to the relocation site are also cautioned not to disclose or discuss classified information by telephone.

As of this date Civil Defense authorities have not included in Operation Alert 1957 a curb drill or test for non-evacuees. As a result, Seat of Government employees not scheduled for relocation in an actual emergency should pursue their normal duties after the alert is sounded at 12:00 noon, EDST, July 12, 1957.

ACTIONS:

(1) Each official receiving a copy of this memorandum should appropriately advise the personnel under his supervision relative to their participation in Operation Alert 1957.

(2) In accordance with procedures followed during Operation Alert 1956 all incoming communications should be routed through the Domestic Intelligence Division immediately upon receipt thereof and outgoing communications prior to their dispatch should be cleared through the Domestic Intelligence Division offices at the relocation site (with the exception of those pertaining to bomb damage and fall-out data which should be routed immediately to the Laboratory Division).

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO MR. TOLSON

DATE: July 11, 1957

FROM T L. B. NICHQ

SUBJECT: BUPHANS -OPENHILL ALERT 1957

We have been advised by our code people now at Quantico that two of the [redacted] namely, [redacted] are requiring full time attention of one code clerk each. We are only taking nine code clerks to Quantico and in view of the number of problems to be worked out in the exercises requiring coding, we feel there will be a possible jam-up on typing operations and, accordingly, we propose to add a typist from the Records Branch to work in the Code Room during the first two days of the exercises. Mr. Belmont concurs and we will have Miss Jacqueline Walden prepared to go to Quantico with the Bureau group tomorrow morning and to release her Saturday night.

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CC - Mr. Belmont

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. TOLSON

DATE: 7/8/57

FROM : J. P. MOHR

SUBJECT: OPERATION ALERT 1957
JOSEPH J. EIGENMANN
BUREAU OF THE BUDGET

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Mr. Eigenmann, who handles the Bureau's appropriation at the Bureau of the Budget, had previously told me that there would be no Inspector at the Operation Alert 1957 but it was possible that some of the representatives of the Bureau of the Budget would visit some of their agencies during Operation Alert merely as a matter of determining how the agencies function during the ~~the Sloan~~ Alert and to get acquainted with the emergency operations of the particular agency. Mr. Eigenmann said there was a possibility he might visit the Bureau's facility during Operation Alert 1957.

Mr. Eigenmann called me today and stated that he was desirous of visiting the Bureau's facility for Operation Alert 1957 on Friday afternoon, staying through Sunday afternoon. He said he would be able to get away from Washington at 4:00 p. m. on Friday, July 12.

I told Mr. Eigenmann that it would be a pleasure for us to have him with us during Operation Alert and after discussing the matter with you, I told him that I would make the necessary arrangements to pick him up and take him to Quantico on Friday. I will remain with him during the period he is at Quantico and will return him to his home.

The foregoing is submitted for record purposes.

JPM:DW

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CC - Mr. Belmont

Mr. Callahan

Mr. Tamm (SAC Sloan)

arrangements for Mr. Eigenmann at 59 (Eigenmann) at 7/9/57
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BUREAU PERSONNEL TO BE EVACUATED TO
RELOCATION SITE AT APPROXIMATELY
9:30 A.M. EASTERN DAYLIGHT SAVING
TIME, JULY 12, 1957

OPERATION ALERT 1957

Office of Assistant to the Director

Inspector C. D. DeLoach
Miss Ruth McCord

Records and Communications Division

Communications Section



Switchboard



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Code Room



Records Section



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Domestic Intelligence Division

Assistant Director Belmont

Liaison Section

Mr. R. R. Roach
Mr. J. W. Brown
Mr. J. T. Minnich

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(In addition to above, as of this date, six
Liaison Agents are scheduled to relocate at sites of those
critical agencies with which we normally do business.)

Internal Security Section

Mr. F. J. Baumgardner
Mr. P. R. Bibler
Mr. J. D. Donohue

[Redacted]

Espionage Section

Mr. W. A. Branigan
Mr. L. Whitson
Mr. W. A. Wannall

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Subversive Control Section

Mr. J. F. Bland
Mr. P. L. Cox
Mr. T. D. Rushing

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Laboratory Division

Assistant Director Parsons
Mr. R. L. Millen
Mr. G. L. Davy
Mr. R. F. Pfafman
Mr. F. M. Miller
Mr. C. F. Downing
Mr. J. F. Gallagher
Mr. W. R. Heilman

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